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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In reply to the Restriction Requirement that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned case on June 11, 2002, applicants elect the invention of Group 1, claims 1-7, 17-28, and 30. The election is made without traverse.

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